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WESTMINSTER NOTES.

An Instance of the Advance in the Price of Real Estate.

An Attempted Burglary—Ran Into a Tug and Nearly Drowned—Painful Shooting Accident—The Caledonian Picnic a Success.

WESTMINSTER, Oct. 5.—A piece of property on Mary street changed hands today at $2,700. A few months ago this property bought for $1,600.

An attempt was made early yesterday morning to burglarize Tiernay's saloon. A large hole was cut in the front door and an entrance was made, but the robbers must have been disturbed. They left without carrying anything away.

Mr. McCready, the contractor, while coming down the river last night in a skiff ran his craft into a passing tug and was thrown into the water. After a long struggle he succeeded in reach shore.

Word was brought to the city last evening of an accidental shooting case at Parson's channel. A young Indian, while carelessly handling a gun accidently discharged it, and the shot struck his sister on the leg, blowing off the entire calf and leaving the bone bare. Dr. DeWolf Smith has gone up to attend the sufferer.

The Caledonian games and ball yesterday were a grand success. The attendance was large and the games well contested.

Dr. Bentley has been appointed provincial health officer for that portion of the district lying south of the Fraser river.

A GALA DAY.

The Provincial Exhibition Opened to a Multitude of Visitors—A Delightful Day for All—The Success of the Exhibition Assured.

Delightful weather and immense attendance, the best of good order and general satisfaction, marked the opening of the Provincial Exhibition yesterday. The success of the opening day was a most gratifying tribute to the enterprise and hard work of the directors, who have certainly left nothing undone to make the exhibition of 1888 the best ever held in the province of British Columbia.

As early as nine o'clock crowds of well and fashionably dressed ladies and gentlemen were to be seen wending their way in the direction of the Fair grounds, and shortly after the grounds and buildings were thrown open to the public they were thronged with visitors anxious to take a first glimpse at the multitudinous exhibits which bear most satisfactory testimony to the unsurpassed productiveness of the province.

At two o'clock Lieut.-Governor and Mrs. Nelson arrived on the ground, and the band of "C" Battery played the National Anthem. The party were met by President Higgins and the directors of the society and formally welcomed. A procession was then formed, the President escorting Mrs. Nelson, and His Honor Mrs. Higgins, followed by Mr. H. Stanton and Mrs. G. Anderson, the Hon. John and Mrs. Robson and Miss Higgins, Lieut.-Colonel Holmes and staff, and the directorate preceded the party to the platform at the rear entrance to the main building.

Turning to the ladies and gentlemen who had gathered to witness the opening of the exhibition, Mr. Higgins made one of his characteristic short and pithy speeches.

Said he: "I have much pleasure in announcing that His Honor, the Lieutenant-Governor, and Mrs. Nelson, have kindly consented to open this exhibition. The Directors have done their best to make it a worthy exhibition of the products of our province. We have had many difficulties to contend against and have done our best. I hope to see even more done in the future."

He then presented Mrs. Nelson and the Lieutenant-Governor with a copy of the list of prize winners and asked for "three times three" for the distinguished visitors, the crowd responding with a cheer that could come from British throats alone.

Lieut.-Governor Nelson, on the echo dying away, stepped forward and said: "I will not detain you at all by any unnecessary introductory remarks, but will declare the twelfth exhibition of the British Columbia Association open to the public." The party then proceeded to inspect the various exhibits in the building, and afterwards took a look at the live stock, which formed a splendid feature of the exhibition.

A walk through the main building and a look at the exhibits show much that is new.

A special deploma given to Mr. Henry Saunders for his display of black cod is in recognition of the exhibitor's efforts to introduce this unequalled fish to the markets of the world.

A large assortment of bottled drinks shows that the brewers and bottlers have not been backward in adding their quota to the productions of the province on exhibit.

In the gallery one of the neatest displays of all is made by Mr. G. Roedde, bookbinder, who shows many fine samples of work turned out at his bindery. The display includes an immense bank ledger in full Russia, with extra bands and fronts, the marbling of the edges being unusually good. Another large book illustrates the advantage of the new spring back, an invention making all books in which it is used more easy to handle and far more durable. A number of well-bound volumes in morocco, full calf, half calf, and half morocco, some with agate edges, show what can be done by a bookbinder who thoroughly understands his trade.

Mr. Thomas Pendray has on view a show case filled with matches manufactured at the Columbia Steam Match Factory, which is in close proximity to H. Mansell's large case of fine boots and shoes, including every style and quality, from an almost microscopic doll's slippers to a top boot.

R. S. Winsley has been awarded a special diploma, well deserved, for his officers' sea or camp chest, a really magnificent piece of furniture, of birds' eye maple, finished in oil, with trimmings of polished brass. The middle top drawer on being opened and a magic button pressed, drops down and discloses a most convenient writing desk. The back is fitted with pigeon holes and drawers which are unlocked by touching a secret spring. The chest is fitted with a full complement of drawers and is as useful as it is handsome.

The two exhibits which, next to the soap display, appear to attract most general attention are the minerals, which in themselves are an exhibition worth going to see, and the model of a clipper sealing schooner made at the Star Shipyard for Captain D. McLean.

The three prizes in the department devoted to horses remaining for the judges to award were given yesterday. Mr. H. Simpson received a special mention and the prize for the best horse of any kind for his Suffolk stallion; W. H. Steves & Son were declared possessed of the best mare on the ground in their Suffolk, and Mr. J. C. Henderson received honorary mention for his dark bay Hambletonian stallion "J. C."

At about four o'clock the greater part of the visitors to the exhibition gathered on Beacon Hill to witness the trials of speed in the horse ring.

The first race called by the judges, Mr. Ladner, M.P.P., Mr. Hodgson and Mr. Tolmie, was the one-mile dash for British Columbia bred colts, the prize being $100.

The entries were four in number, Lascelle's b. m. Mayflower, Black's br. g. Bryan O'Lynn, Lassan's b. g Royal and Stephenson's blk. s. Gallant.

The quartette got off well together, Mayflower and Bryan O'Lynn soon drawing out of the bunch and the brown cutting out the pace for the others for the first half. He was close pressed by the mare, however, and overhauled between the half and the three-quarter post. An exciting race ensued, the couple galloping side by side. The mare got the lead the last quarter, however, and kept it, passing under the wire winner by an open length; Bryan O'Lynn, second; Royal, third, and Gallant hopelessly out of the race.

The second event was a two-mile dash, trotting, in sulkies, open to all horses who have not beaten three minutes. There were only two starters, D. Campbell's "Diamond" and J. Parker's gelding "Dick." A good start was made, Parker's horse having slightly the advantage. "Diamond" rapidly drew ahead, and led in the race to the finish, winning by a couple of lengths. Time about seven minutes. Purse, $50.

In the evening a brilliant assemblage thronged both ground and buildings, which appeared to the best possible advantage, illuminated with electric light. The band of "C" Battery was stationed on the platform in front of the main hall and presented a fine programme during the evening. Promenading, conversation and inspection of the various exhibits occupied the time of the visitors until 10 o'clock, when the first day of the exhibition came to a close, a complete and gratifying success.

This morning at 11 o'clock the balance of the programme of races will be taken up.

Another morning attraction, and one likely to prove decidedly interesting, will be the baseball contest between the Amities and the James Bays, the local club, who give promise of great things. The result of the match will decide the ownership of the silver cup and cash prize of $150 kindly offered by the Agricultural Association.

Following are the members of the Amities nine: Borthwick, catcher; Baker, pitcher; Partridge, 1st b.; Gus Gowen, 2d b.; George Gowen, 3d b.; Nip Gowen, short stop; Duck, l. f.; Burnes, c. f.; White, r. f. T. W. Edwards will umpire. The James Bay nine will be the same as yesterday. They will commence sharp at 9:30 a. m.

In the afternoon the great event of the exhibition, the baby show, commences at 2 o'clock, when no doubt many wonderful infants will present themselves as candidates for public recognition.

The afternoon will also witness a keen and exciting game of football, the rival teams being the Victorias and the Rovers of Nanaimo.

CAPITAL NOTES.

Thursday, 15th November, Named as Thanksgiving Day.

Surplus of Revenue for First Quarter of the Fiscal Year—The Debt Decreasing a Million and a Quarter Per Month—How Opium Gets Across the Line—Dr. Ryerson's Statue to Enter Duty Free.

[From Our Own Correspondent.]

OTTAWA, Oct. 5.—Lord Stanley has named Thursday, November 15th, as a day of general thanksgiving.

The revenue for the first three months of the fiscal year was $9,527,000; expenditure, $6,767,000; surplus, $2,750,000.

The net debit at the end of September was $233,750,000, a decrease of a million and a quarter per month.

Customs Inspector Young reports that large quantities of opium find their way into the States across the Manitoba boundary south of Morden.

The Customs Department will admit the statue of Dr. Ryerson, to be erected at Toronto, into Canada duty free.

CANADIAN NEWS.

Cox Gets Clear.

TORONTO, Oct. 5.—At the police court this afternoon E. S. Cox was called to answer a charge of having defrauded the Central Bank out of $10,000. Osler stated he had no evidence to offer, the deposit receipt for $10,000 being now in the possession of the liquidators of the bank, and it being impossible to show the bank paid for the deposit out of its own funds, the magistrate at once dismissed this last charge against Cox, who expressed himself sorry that Cashier Allen and James Baxter had not been secured by the prosecution as witnesses, as he felt satisfied they would have made it clear he had not committed fraud against the bank or anyone else.

Sir John in Toronto.

TORONTO, Oct. 5.—Sir John spent the day in this city and attended a meeting of the Manufacturers' Insurance Co. He left for Ottawa this evening. He has promised to attend the Board of Trade dinner next month.

Held for Extradition.

SHERBROOKE, Oct. 4.—Judge Rion this morning delivered judgment in the case of Debana, the New York bank defaulter, and ordered him be held for extradition.

CHURCH NOTICES.

Reformed Episcopal Church—Services at the usual hours of worship. Pastors, the Right Rev. Bishop Cridge and Rev. Dr. Reid. The communion of the Lord's Supper will be observed at the morning service. Sunday school in the afternoon at 2:45 o'clock.

A Severe Attack.

Miss Bella Elliot, of Pontypool, Ont., writes,—"My brother and I were both taken ill with a severe attack of diarrhœa; having tried other remedies, we tried Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry, which gave immediate relief."
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Tried and Proved.

"I have used Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry for summer complaint, and have proved it, after a fair trial, a sure cure, both in my own case and others of the family." Lauratta Wing, New Dundee, Waterloo Co., Ont. tu-th-sat-dw

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

AMERICAN NEWS.

Telephone Connection Successfully Accomplished Between Philadelphia and Portland, Maine.

Decrease of the Yellow Fever Epidemic in the South and all the Patients Doing Well.

Prominent Pugilists Sent to Prison for Aiding and Abetting the Recent Fight Between Women.

The Sioux Treaty.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 5.—The members of the commission sent out to negotiate a treaty with the Sioux Indians have returned to the city. They express themselves confident of ultimate success. They think the proposition to give fifty cents an acre for the entire amount of 11,000,000 acres would be accepted by the Indians. A delegation of seventy-two selected by agents of several agencies will meet in this city next week. They come on to have a talk with the Great Father. After the visit of the Indians is finished the members of the commission will return to the Indians' country to resume the negotiation of the treaty.

Doings of Congress.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 5.—In the House to-day the consideration of the conference report on the general deficiency bill was resumed. The discussion on the appropriation for the Industrial Christian Home of Utah provoked along discussion. No action was taken. The attempt to have the House adjourn over until Monday was unsuccessful.

A Railway Accident.

CHICAGO, Oct. 5.—The Chicago and Atlantic Railway officials this morning received the report of an accident which occurred on the road eight miles from Kanakakeee yesterday. It was not as severe as at first reporting. A boarding train, in which laborers, mostly Italians, lived during the week was standing on the main track, when the fast freight smashed into the rear end of this train. Many of the laborers were in the train at the time. Seven or eight of them were injured, three seriously, although none fatally. The freight engine was badly smashed, and the rear boarding-house cars were broken up. The loss will be $20,000. The wreck occasioned a delay of several hours.

A Distinguished Party.

CHICAGO, Oct. 5.—Henry Villard, of the Northern Pacific Railroad, arrived at Chicago to-day on his way to the northwest to make a tour of the line. He is accompanied by Prof. Von Esmarck, of Berlin, and the professor's wife, Princess Von Schleswig Holstein, aunt to the Emperor of Germany, also by Governor Hauser, of Montana, and F. F. Oakes.

Sudden Death of a Veteran Officer.

NEW YORK, Oct. 5.—Capt. Benjamin Kleadell, a veteran commander in the service of the White Star Line, died on the vessel first day out on a voyage which ended in New York yesterday. He was apparently in the best of health when his ship left Liverpool. During his career with the White Star Line Company he had saved nearly one hundred lives on different occasions, and he was the possessor of several medals from humane societies. Another of his testimonials was a watch presented by the United States Government for life-saving services.

Hewitt Nominated.

NEW YORK, Oct. 5.—A mass meeting of citizens, irrespective of party and attended by many prominent gentlemen, was held at Cooper Union to-night and nominated Hon. A. T. Hewitt for re-election as mayor.

Granted a New Trial.

NEW YORK, Oct. 5.—Mr. McQuade, an ex-alderman, who had been granted a new trial was brought from Sing Sing to this city to-day. He will be released on $20,000 bail.

An Overdue Ship.

NEW YORK, Oct. 5.—Some anxiety is felt in shipping circles for the safety of the Italy, which left New York on September 19th for Liverpool and is four days overdue.

Prize Fighting Discountenanced.

BUFFALO, Oct. 5.—George Lablanche, John Leslie, William Baker, and John Floss, convicting yesterday of aiding and abetting a prize fight between Hattie Leslie and Alice Leary, were sentenced this morning. Lablanche and Floss were sentenced to three months, and Leslie and Baker to six months at hard labor. Hattie Leslie was discharged, and the indictment against Alice Leary was dismisssed.

A Strike Continued.

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 5.—Striking miners in Southern Illinois held a meeting to-day and resolved to continue the strike. The consolidated coal trust, who operate most of the mines, have also announced the intention not to grant an advance of wages demanded by the men.

Failed.

PROVIDENCE, Oct. 5.—Eddy & Street, dealers in cotton yarns, have failed. Liabilities estimated at $100,000, most of which are thought to be with the Fall River mill, a commercial firm and Providence parties.

Long Distance Telephoning.

PORTLAND, Me., Oct. 5.—Long distance telephone connection was successfully accomplished yesterday between Portland and Philadelphia. The connection will be permanent and procurable at all times by the public.

Destructive Prairie Fires.

NEW ROCKFORD, Da., Oct. 5.—F. W. Fieldcamp was horribly burned while trying to save his property from the prairie fires, and later died from lock-jaw. E. A. Mathies lost 160 acres of wheat and 100 tons of hay by the fire west of here on Wednesday night. Many houses, outbuildings, and crops further west were destroyed by the same fire.

A Serious Loss.

PLEASANTVILLE, Ia., Oct. 5.—A fire here yesterday morning destroyed 19 business houses. The loss is $16,000; insurance $8,000.

A Fatal Explosion.

CLEVELAND, O., Oct. 5.—An explosion of gas in the shaft of the new waterworks tunnel this morning fatally burned five laborers.

Knocked Out in the Fifth Round.

LOS ANGELES, Oct. 5.—Charles Burke was knocked out by James Harrison in a five-round glove fight, Marquis of Queensbury rules, here last night. Burke is an ex-waiter and Harrison an ex-member of of the Olympic Club. Both men are considered clever boxers.

Yellow Jack Returns.

JACKSONVILLE, Oct. 4.—The board of health to-day reported seventy-five new cases of yellow fever for the twenty-four hours ending at 6 p. m. There was only one death, John Berry. Of the new cases fifteen were white and sixty colored.

The Yellow Plague.

JACKSONVILLE, Oct. 5.—Up to noon to-day there were three deaths and thirty-eight new cases. The doctors all feel much pleased at the decrease of the epidemic, and say that the patients are doing well. People will not be allowed to return until after at least two frosts.

A Northern Murderer.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 5.—Louis Sharp, who killed Wm. Dingley and wounded Jas. O'Brien in Alaska and who was brought down by the United States revenue cutter Rush a few days ago, was held for examination by the United States commissioner to-day till the arrival of the witnesses from the north.

Chinese Will Try to Land.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 5.—Colonel Bee, Chinese consul, stated to-day that although the people he represents had not as yet a definite mode of procedure against the new law, he was confident an effort would be made to land all the Chinese who left China by steamers prior to the bill becoming law. These, he said, had not, and could not, receive notice of the enactment of the law, and consequently should not be affected by it.

Assigned.

ST. PAUL, Oct. 5.—F. Allen and Co., dry goods dealers, assigned yesterday. Assets about $70,000 and liabilities about the same. Farewell and Co., Chicago, are the largest creditors.

Worse Than First Reported.

AUBURN, N.Y., Oct. 5.—The accident on the Rome, Watertown, and Ogdensburg Railway, between Sterling Junction and Oswego, proves to have been more serious than was reported at first. One train was running 50 miles an hour, trying to make one more station than ordered, and the other was going at 40 miles speed. Engineer Slattery stood his post, and the lever transfixed his body, killing him instantly. Engineer Hatch of the other train jumped and was badly injured, as was Fireman Cochrane, Baggageman Smith, Conductor Westcott, and Brakesman Batts, all of Lehigh Valley. The men are badly injured. The latter it is thought will die.

ANNUAL MEETING

Of the B. C. Agricultural Association—Westminster Selected as the Place for the Next Show—Election of Officers and Board of Directors.

The annual meeting of the British Columbia Agricultural Association was held at the city hall last evening, about one hundred members of the association being present.

President Higgins occupied the chair and Mr. C. E. Renouf acted as secretary.

In calling the meeting to order the chairman extended his thanks to the board of directors for the manner in which they had carried out their duties and the harmony which had characterized all the meetings of the board during the past year. He also thanked Mr. Renouf for stepping in at a critical time and so ably filling the office of secretary, left vacant by Thomas Russell.

The books of the association which had been in charge of the late secretary being unaccounted for, the reading of the minutes of the last annual meeting was dispensed with.

The first business in order was the selection of a place for holding the exhibition of 1889.

Some discussion ensued as to how the matter was to be decided, some of the members favoring open voting and others desiring to leave the matter in the hands of the directors.

It was finally resolved that the selection of the place for the next show be decided by the members of the association, and that the time of holding the show be left with the board of managers.

The president then said that nominations for place would be in order.

Mr. A. C. Wells moved, seconded by Mr. Ashwell, that the next exhibition of the association be held in Westminster city.

Mr. Brighouse moved as an amendment that the exhibition be held at Vancouver.

Several arguments were adduced by mainland members in favor of the sites proposed, the majority of the speakers, however, favoring Westminster, as being the most central agricultural locality and convenient for intending exhibitors from the surrounding districts.

It was stated in answer to a question that it was the intention of Westminster to hold the exhibition in the park recently presented to the city by the Government, and which comprises 87 acres.

The vote for place was then taken, and resulted in Westminster receiving 40 votes and Vancouver 16, a majority of 24 in favor of the former place.

The following gentlemen were then placed in nomination for president:—W. H. Ladner, M. P. P., Thomas Cunningham, G. W. Chadsey, and W. J. Harris.

Messrs. Harris and Chadsey withdrew.

A ballot was then taken and resulted as follows: Ladner, 38; Cunningham, 29. Mr. Ladner was declared elected, amidst applause.

Mr. McIlmoyl was elected first vice-president by acclamation.

Mr. Cunningham was elected second vice-president by acclamation.

Mr. David Robson was elected secretary and Mr. J. S. Clute treasurer of the association.

The following gentlemen were elected a board of directors, 11 being from the mainland and 9 from the island: J. C. Henderson, T. J. Trapp, Geo. Black, W. Jenkins, W. Harris, A.C. Wells, B. Douglas, J. W. Hendry, M. Sinclair, G. R. Ashwell, M. Steeves, for the mainland; and Jas. Tolmie, M.P.P., D. Kerr, G. A. McTavish, H. Simpson, E. Hodgson, J. H. Todd, S. Sandover, N. Shakespeare, and C. E. Renouf for the island.

A hearty vote of thanks was extended to the retiring president and officers for their services during the past year.

Before adjourning Mr. Higgins desired to thank the members for the harmony which had characterized the meeting, and if ever elected to a similar position he hoped his co-officers would prove the same active workers as those of the association during the past year. He complimented the association upon the new officers and board of directors, and before saying good-bye he hoped the same good feeling and harmony would prevail at the meetings of the new management.

After a few remarks from Mr. McIlmoyle and Mr. James Fell the meeting adjourned.

CABLE NEWS.

The London Horror Still the Principal Topic in England—Theories as to the Murderer.

The Commissioner of Police Decides to Employ Bloodhounds in His Effort to Track the Assasin.

Sir Charles Dilke Confident He Can Publicly Vindicate His Character and Re-enter Parliament.

Court Gossip.

LONDON, Oct. 5.—The reception which Emperor William accorded Prince Philip, of Coburg, on his arrival at Vienna, has occasioned no little talk in political circles. It is deemed a significant action on the part of the German ruler. Prince Philip is the eldest brother of Prince Ferdinand, of Bulgaria, and member of the hated Coburg family, and that the kaiser should bestow an especial mark of attention on the Coburg prince is considered by knowing ones to be a token of a phase in the affairs of Bulgaria. The fact was duly noticed by members of the Russian embassy and information concerning it promptly sent to St. Petersburg. A semi-official report referring to the incident said that it was unlikely that Emperor William appreciated the fact that Ferdinand had given a fair and quiet reign to Bulgaria and believed his occupation of the throne tended towards the peace of Europe and the welfare of the people over whom he was placed, and that if the kaiser could do so without reopening the eastern question and disturbing the existing peace, he would use his power to keep Prince Ferdinand on the Bulgarian throne. If the young Emperor could effect this without offending his northern neighbors, the dream of the aged Princess Clementine, Ferdinand's mother, would be realized, and Coburgers would remain unmolested in possession of Bulgaria with the patronage of Germany and the assured aid of Austria. Ferdinand might well feel secure although the Russian bear did growl, and the sick man of Turkey made faces at the intruder near his border. The absence of the Russian ambassador from Emperor William's reception to the diplomats last night is widely commented on, and many profess to find a reason for the ambassador's action in the cordiality that the Kaiser has shown to Prince Philip.

The Whitechapel Murders.

LONDON, Oct. 4.—An inquest was held to-day over the body of one of the Whitechapel fiend's last victims, which was found last Sunday morning in Mitre Square. The evidence taken shows that the murderer met the woman at some distance from the square and walked with her along the main street that led to the square. It was probably this fact that caused the murderer to mutilate the face of the victim, as he feared they had been noticed in company together, and the woman's identification lead to his capture. The faces of theother Whitechapel victims were not touched while this one was hacked beyond recognition. Various measures have been adopted by the people of the East End for their protection, as little confidence is felt in the police. To-night five workingmen, all armed and ready to attack even the blood-thirsty fiends, are patrolling the vacinity frequented by the murderer. The papers print columns of letters on the subject every day and make numerous suggestions.

The London Horror.

LONDON, Oct. 5.—Sir Chas. Warren, commissioner of the metropolitan police, has decided to employ bloodhounds in the district frequented by the murderer to aid in the search for him. The police have adopted the story that a sailor named George Dodge relates about a Malay cook, who, as a revenge for being robbed by a woman with whom he had consorted, threatened to murder and multilate every Whitechapel woman he met until he found the guilty one. Acting on this clue the police are hunting everywhere for the Malay.

Sir Charles to the Fore.

LONDON, Oct. 3.—Sir Charles Dilke, replying to a deputation which waited on him to-day, declined nomination for Parliament, and hinted that he had obtained proofs of the falsity of the charges of immoral conduct which were made against him. He said he was confident he would soon publicly vindicate his character and re-enter Parliament. Much of this language is, however, regarded as bluff. Sir Charles appears to have lost much flesh. He intends to make a trip to India shortly.

Storms in the North Sea.

LONDON, Oct. 5.—Severe storms recently prevailed in the North Sea, and many fishing smacks have been lost. Members of their crews have been washed overboard.

The Coming Session of Parliament.

LONDON, Oct. 5.—The recent elaborate magazine article of James Stansfield, Gladstonian member for Halifax, and the speeches of the various liberal leaders within the last fortnight, plainly indicates that the coming session of Parliament will be the stormiest witnessed for many years. The cue given to all liberal speakers is to forward dissolution of Parliament, and this will be the policy of the opposition in the next session upon every question raised.

Attacked By Rebels.

LONDON, Oct. 5.—Advices from the East state that Suakim was attacked by rebels last night, but a heavy fire of British troops repulsed them.

Boulanger's Return.

PARIS, Oct. 5.—Boulanger arrived in the city to-day. 4,000 people were awaiting him at the depot, but the General eluded them and made his way to a hotel unobserved.

A Royal Hunt.

VIENNA, Oct. 5.—Prince Henry has been appointed honorary commander in the Austrian navy. Emperor William went deer stalking to-day in Lainzer Theirgarten.

Russia's Grain Trade.

ST. PETERSBURG, Oct. 5.—The government will admit foreign sacks into Russia without payment of duty to facilitate the export of grain and flour from the Baltic, Black Sea, and Sea of Azof ports. Foreign companies will be allowed to operate in the country without royal permission on condition that they sell only articles of foreign manufacture. Companies sailing steamers to Russian ports will also be allowed to continue without royal permission.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

The Colonist.

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THE EXHIBITION OF 1888.

Exhibitions, county, provincial, national and international, are characteristic of the age we live in. Their influence has been for good. They have given an impetus to industries of all kinds; they have brought into closer union the different parts of nations and they have made the countries of the world better known to each other. They have been great object lessons for the children of larger growth of all civilized nations, and they have contributed in no small degree to make the civilization of the nineteenth century both broader and higher than that of preceding ages. There is nothing like emulation and competition to stimulate the energies of mankind, and a practical knowledge of what other countries can do and are doing prevents those who possess it from becoming narrow and insular in their ideas. To a new country exhibitions are of peculiar value. Besides stirring up its inhabitants to make fresh and greater efforts to improve and to make the best of the resources of their native or adopted country, it shows strangers, almost at a glance, what that country is capable of producing, and whether or not it possesses the qualities necessary to make it desirable as a home. From this point of view the exhibition at Beacon Hill is everything that can be desired. To the stranger the questions whether this year's exhibition is better than that of two years ago, or whether this or that district is as well represented as it ought to be or could be, are matters of no importance. The question with him is, "Does this exhibition show me that British Columbia is a good country to live in? Does it convince me that I would do well to come here myself and advise my friends to come also? Can I learn from what I see here that life on the Pacific coast can be made enjoyable?" It seems to us that the answer which a reasonable man who has carefully and intelligently examined the products of the country displayed in the exhibition hall and on the grounds must give to these questions is an emphatic YES. He sees as he looks around him that the arable soil of the Province of British Columbia is fertile, and that its climate admits of its yielding a large variety of the finest products. He sees in one of its divisions cereals of the best quality. No better wheat, oats and barley can be raised in any part of the world than are now on exhibition on Beacon Hill. There are besides peas, buckwheat and tares of a quality which shows that cattle-raisers need not go outside of British Columbia for the coarse grains necessary for feeding purposes. The display of vegetables, both for quality and variety, will convince the visitor that it will be his own fault if the settler has not a kitchen garden as productive as can be made in any part of the world. He will be convinced that the soil and the climate are peculiarly adapted to the growth of vegetables, both of the field and the garden. The fruit on the shelves will assure him that he can raise here all the fruits that the temperate zone is capable of producing, and some of them of peculiar excellence. The pears and plums cannot be excelled either for size or flavor, and he will see peaches of a very fine quality that have been grown in the open air. There are, besides, apples, quinces, and grapes, and he will learn that the small fruits particularly strawberries, raspberries, and currants thrive well in the province, and are of the finest flavor. In fact, the man who is fond of gardening, or who is any judge of either vegetables or fruits must from what he sees at the exhibition conclude that British Columbia is a very paradise for the gardener. He will be confirmed in this conviction when he comes to examine the flowers at the exhibition. He will see all his old friends and favorites growing vigorously and with a wealth of bloom only to be seen in the most favored situations in other countries in the same parallel of latitude, and he will find others, raised in the open air, which require careful attendance as exotics in Eastern Canada. The amateur florist cannot but be happy in British Columbia. He will enjoy more successes and be made miserable by fewer failures than in any other part of this Dominion of Canada. The appearance and condition of the horses and cattle will satisfy him that the country is favorable for stock-raising. He will see, too, that attention is being paid to that branch of rural industry. He will observe on the grounds fine specimens of pure-blooded stock and he will conclude that if ordinary care is taken there is nothing to hinder British Columbia becoming famous on the Pacific coast and beyond it for its breed of horses, cattle, and sheep. Before the visitor reaches the poultry show he will be certain that there is nothing to hinder the finest breeds of fowl of all kinds flourishing in the climate of the province. The specimens displayed will not disappoint him. They are all so fine of the different kinds that he will not fear if he makes up his mind to settle in British Columbia that he will ever have occasion to long for the flesh pots or the roasts of any eastern country. He will find too, in the exhibition, samples of the wealth that abounds in the sea that washes the shores of the province. These samples are, it must be confessed, inadequate to give him an idea of the variety of the fish to be found in British Columbian waters, but as far as they go they are excellent. No one needs to be told that salmon are to be found in great abundance in British Columbia bays, straits and rivers, but the black cod which many think a richer and more delicately flavored fish, is not so well known. This fine fish is certain to become one of the delicacies of the west. Whether he examines the products of the land or the sea, the visitor to the exhibition cannot but be favorably impressed with British Columbia as a place of residence. And the exhibition being chiefly agricultural does not give him anything like a full view of the resources and the capabilities of the province. Two of its great sources of wealth, its minerals and its timber, may be said not to be represented at all at the exhibition. There are, it is true, some specimens of ores and a little coal on the ground, but very little prominence is given to them. The visitor, therefore, must be put on his guard against concluding that the exhibition is intended to give him an adequate idea of all British Columbia's resources. From the specimens of the manufactures of the province which the visitor sees he will conclude that the province has made considerable progress in the useful arts, and that the man who makes it his home need not want any article of either comfort or luxury of as good a quality as he can find in any part of the world. He will see that to the settler who has money, the days of "roughing it" are past in this province. We cannot conclude this article without making an allusion to one of the concomitants of the exhibition, and that, too, a very important one, which the visitor will not find in the catalogue; and that is the delightful weather. In no part of the world will he breathe more balmy air and enjoy brighter or more stimulating sunshine. These autumn days are literally perfect; there is not the remotest suggestion of winter in the air.

EDITORIAL COMMENTS.

THE socialistic agitator is by no means the product of modern times. Envy, hatred, malice, and all uncharitableness are, sad to say, almost as old as the human race itself. In almost every age of the world there were men who envied those who possessed more of this world's goods than themselves, and were ready to promise great things to those who would aid them in robbing the rich. The laws which enabled men to enjoy what they had earned in safety were hateful to these anti-capitalists of an early age, and they exhorted the workingmen to rebel against them. Shakespeare, whose knowledge of every phase of human character was both profound and accurate, makes Jack Cade thus address his fellow-socialists about the prices of things:

"Be brave then, for your captain is brave, and vows reformation. There shall be seven halfpenny loaves sold for a penny; the three hooped pot shall have ten hoops; and I will make it felony to drink small beer; all the realm shall be in common."

The great difference between Jack Cade and the anti-capitalists of these days is that Jack was not afraid to say all that he meant; while the communists of our country are too cowardly to speak out plainly.

IT is a reproach to civilization that there is not a better extradition law between Great Britain and the United States. Owing to the defectiveness of the treaty arrangements there is a mutual interchange of scoundrels between the two nations. Canadian thieves fly for refuge to the United States and Canada is made an asylum for the rascaldom of the Great Republic. Such singular relations ought not to exist between two nations calling themselves civilized. We are glad to know that neither Great Britain nor Canada is to blame for this disgraceful state of things. They are willing and indeed most desirous that British territory should not be made a refuge for criminals. A treaty more in accordance with common sense and the principles of justice than the one now in force was agreed to some time ago by the British Government, but because some of the United States politicians feared that by sanctioning it votes would be lost to the Republican party, it has been, by a majority of the Senate, thrown aside. We are pleased to see that there are journalists in America who can see where the blame of the present state of things lies, and are honest enough to acknowledge that the United States and not Great Britain is in fault. The Philadelphia *Times* says:

Cashier Pitcher, late of the Union Bank of Providence and now of Montreal, cannot be extradited and punished for the crime of stealing the bank's available funds. For this impossibility the country owes thanks to its demagogic statesmen, who would rather twist the British lion's tail at a safe distance than encourage the negotiation of a sensible treaty for the protection of American business interests.

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Exclusive privilege for the sale of edibles and tea, coffee and chocolate.

Vendors of candies and soda water will be allowed to sell in the grounds on payment of $5 each.

BASE BALL TOURNAMENT.

The Society offers $150 and a Silver Cup, for the Base Ball Championship of the Northwest Coast. Entries to be made till Wednesday, 3rd inst. Game to close not later than 12 o'clock, m., on each day.

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On Monday, October 8, 1888,

AT 12 O'CLOCK, NOON.

The Farm comprises 682 acres, more or less, all under fence, and a number of acres under cultivation. The property is the following distances from the following points, viz.: Victoria Post Office by public road 4 miles, by water 3 miles; from the Esquimalt Nanaimo Railway, and Esquimalt Sawmill site, 1 mile, by water a 1/4 mile. It has a good water frontage at the head of the Arm. On the property is some valuable pine and oak timber. The farm will be sold in three pieces. The land will be correctly surveyed and sold according to the survey of Mr. Ralph, which will be a guarantee of correctness. Plenty of fresh water can be obtained from springs on the property, and a stream runs through the land at the north end.

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There are about 12,000 cords of pine, and 3,000 cords of oak. Teams hauling cordwood can make three trips a day to Victoria, and four trips a day if sold to the brickyards. There are about 150 acres under cultivation, and 150 acres more which can be easily cleared, being alder bottom. The whole is well drained. The owner will be on the premises on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays to show the land and stock to visitors. The farm will be sold clear of all incumbrances. Purchasers of stock and implements will be allowed sixty days on approved endorsed paper.

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W. R. CLARKE, Auctioneer.

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GEORGE BYRNES, AUCTIONEER.

AUCTION!

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North Arm of Fraser River, and adjacent Lands, New Westminster District.

Tuesday, 23rd October,

AT 11 O'CLOCK, A. M.,

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GEO. BYRNES, Auctioneer.

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THE DECLINE OF INTEREST IN BOXING MATCHES.

Sullivan and Kilrain Compared—The Battle between Smith and Kilrain—Mitchell a Better Man than Sullivan in Their Last Fight—America's Ablest Bruisers—A Good Word for the Art of Self-Defense.

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There is a vast amount of nonsense published about pugilists at all times—but the romancing which has resulted from the battles between Smith and Kilrain and Sullivan and Mitchell, on the other side of the water, is startling even from the standpoint of professional blowhards.

Pugilism in New York as a sensation, a calling or a pastime, is practically dead. Many of the more prosperous being masters complain of an entire falling-off in the number of devotees to the manly art of self-defense, and pugilistic talk is rare where it was once incessant. The man who made pugilism triumphant has succeeded in dragging it in the dust. Sullivan is a blackguard and a bully. While he was in perfect trim, strong as a lion, fearless, full of brute courage and bent on being the greatest fighter in the world, he was more or less of a hero; but, of late years, he has thrown decency and courage to the winds and his name has been a stain upon pugilism. I have seen Kilrain and Sullivan fight both here and on the other side, and I have not the slightest doubt in the world that Kilrain can whip Sullivan in a square, stand-up fight according to London Prize-ring rules.

Kilrain is the most popular sporting man who ever went to London from America. He was quiet and unobtrusive, gentlemanly and sincere. He fought a great battle with Smith, and all the talk of its being a put-up job is moonshine. Every decision was in Smith's favor, every slip on the part of Kilrain eagerly and unjustly punished. There were sixty or seventy Englishman and only five Americans. Every Englishman had his money on Smith, and naturally, the decision was a draw, although Smith was clearly and palpably whipped a dozen times during the fight. On our way back to Rouen, in France, the Englishmen crowded around Kilrain and shook his hands a hundred times. They praised him and lionized him for his magnificent and thoroughly honest bearing during the fight, while Smith and his seconds tried every foul known to a debased and cockney gang. The friends that Kilrain made on this fight stuck to him throughout his visit to England. I will say this much for Englishmen—that, when they once make up their mind a man is straight, square and honest, they back him up like heroes.

Mitchell never did a better day's work than when he acted as Kilrain's second, for he was obliged to fight his own countryman to ward off the fouls, and he did it like a major. As for Mitchell not backing Kilrain, I personally know this to be untrue, for, on two occasions, I was with Mitchell when he made bets on his principal in the Criterion.

Concerning the Sullivan-Mitchell fight, it does not seem to me that the most careless of the observers of prize fighting could be deceived by the record. It rained hard, but the rain was as bad for Mitchell as it was for Sullivan, and the ring was twenty-four feet square, but this is the size in which all the heroes of the sport have won their honors. Both men were in good condition, and Sullivan had trained carefully for months. Nevertheless, the men fought for three hours, and Sullivan was not only unable to whip his man despite his superior strength, experience and weight, but was actually landed high and dry, and was willing to stop. Further than this, the proof is almost absolute that Sullivan's seconds paid liberally to have the fight declared a draw so as to save the Boston slugger from being whipped outright by a man whom he had always professed to despise.

America has to-day two remarkably well-behaved, honest, straightforward, scientific and plucky fighters. They cannot be beaten by men in their class anywhere in the world. Both of them are industrious, frugal, good family men and possessed of moderate competences. Their names are Jake Kilrain and Jack Dempsey. Compared to them, the Boston pet is neither an edifying nor an enticing figure.

It is questionable if it seems to me whether the decline of pugilism in New York is good for the young men of the town. The reign of slugging matches may have brought out the brutal instincts of our men to a certain extent, but the other effect more than overbalanced this—by which I mean that the stimulation which the talk about prize-fighting and pugilism gave to athletic exercises and particularly to boxing more than overbalanced the alleged decline sentimentally. No man who has any acquaintance with athletic sports will deny that the most beneficial and fascinating of them all is sparring. It develops the arms, legs, back and courage of a caved-in and weak-kneed youngster with a degree of celerity that is astonishing. There is a monotony about dumb-bells, clubs, gymnasium work and even rowing and running which palls on an athlete of the most enthusiastic nature after a time. But sparring is a new game with every blow. The sport is under a cloud now, however, and it is doubtful if Kilrain and Dempsey can wash away the stigma that John L. Sullivan has placed upon it.

BLAKELY HALL.

HUSBANDLESS YOUNG WOMEN.

Scarcity of Young Men at the Summer Resorts—Wisdom of Providing Girls with a Marriage Portion.

"The absence of eligible young men at the summer resorts, although it is always a melancholy fact, has never been so marked as during this season," said a well-known newspaper man, a middle-aged bachelor of wide experience, who has just returned from spending his two-weeks' vacation at Lake George.

"In the house I stayed at there were forty-seven marriageable young women, the majority of them pretty and attractive. To pay court to these fair creatures were just eleven young men, four of them mere boys of eighteen or nineteen. Of the remaining seven, including myself, only two could be strictly called eligible. The others were clerks with slender salaries, who if they married these girls could not for many years to come hope to give them anything like the home to which they had been accustomed. Their married life would be passed in a boarding house, and in a second-class boarding house at that."

The cry, "Where are the men?" has gone forth from the summer resorts so often, that it has become monotonous. Narragansett Pier, Bar Harbor, the Adirondacks, the White Mountains, and even Saratoga and Newport, have the same tale to tell, and the stately and exclusive Lenox is not an exception. The average young man does not go to summer resorts; in the first place, because he cannot afford it, and, secondly, because the young woman he may fall in love with there he cannot marry, for she expects too much. The idea of love in a cottage, and the wife sharing the struggles of the husband, has long ago exploded. The girl wants to get married, and yet from necessity, owing to the manner in which she has been brought up, she must be on the look-out for a man who has money or an established and profitable business. The result is that tens of thousands of our young women are doomed to spinsterhood. How can it be otherwise under the present system, by which the woman is no longer the helpmeet to the man? Well-to-do American parents, although they are often recklessly extravagant and indulgent to their daughters, do not do their duty by them, and that is why in so many cases they are left on their hands. In this respect they might well take a lesson from some European nations, especially the French. In the humblest circles in France, as among the wealthiest, parents deem it their duty to give their daughter a dowry, or as it is called, a *dot*. It is perfectly true that most unions in that country are the result of arrangements between the families of both parties, but there is no reason to believe that there is a larger proportion of unhappy marriages than with us. Indeed, the French claim that the perfection of wedded bliss exists among them in a greater degree. Marriage in France is not therefore a burden to the man as it is in most instances in America. The entire responsibility of keeping his wife does not fall upon the young Frenchman. She has also some money of her own. It is an absurdity from a commercial point of view. Each husband and wife has means for his business, the wife's dowry from her father, and a common fund is formed, which is kept for the benefit of the household. Now a young man of moderate means, with an income of, say, $1,000 a year, would not think of asking a girl of social equality with him to marry, no matter how much he might be in love with her. A union under such conditions would be misery for both. But suppose the girl, too, had a *dot* of a thousand a year, or even something less, then the young couple could go into housekeeping and begin under more favorable auspices, each feeling that each is a help to the other instead of a burden. It is for this reason that American fathers should realize the responsibility of having daughters, and instead of leaving money away on themselves should endeavor to save money for them, either by endowment insurance or otherwise, so that they may be assured that the female offspring may become happy wives instead of sour old maids, who, in most instances, have to wait for the parents' death to get any income at all. The necessity for the adoption of such a plan by American fathers and mothers of families grows daily more apparent. When this is done there will be no more complaints of the scarcity of young men at summer resorts.

B. B. VALLENTINE.

METROPOLITAN PALACES.

The Splendors of European Luxury Outshone in the Empire City.

There is a little story connected with the house occupied by Secretary Whitney which illustrates a peculiar phase of New York life. It was formerly the residence of Mrs. Frederick W. Stevens. She is the daughter of one of the old auctioneers of New York, named Sampson who died years ago, leaving her an income of four hundred thousand dollars a year. She married Frederick Stevens, who was a poor lawyer, and several children were born to them. They lived in comparatively happiness until in an unlucky moment she received a visit from the Marquis de Talleyrand, a grandson of the celebrated political trickster of the great Napoleon's day. The talk of society concerning the sentiments entertained by the auctioneer's daughter for the titled Frenchman need not be repeated, but the gossips do not fail to remark that not long after the return of the Marquis de Talleyrand to France the auctioneer's daughter decided that there was something in the climate of Europe, especially of France, absolutely essential to the preservation of her health. She went to Europe, leaving her husband here, and for several years, it is stated, maintained relations with the sweet-scented sprig of French nobility which need not be particularized. She came back to this country married in wonderful court at Newport obtained a divorce from her husband on the grounds of "neglect and incompatibility of temperament." This legal miracle accomplished, she returned to France and became the wife of the Marquis de Talleyrand. The father of this necessary Frenchman guest to introduce into American home was too poor to properly maintain his ducal title, and he therefore relinquished it in favor of his son, who took a prominent part in snaring a rich American woman in the matrimonial waters, and now the auctioneer's daughter is a duchesse of France. To be sure the title only goes back to the First Napoleon, who manufactured titles in order to fill the upstart court, but the lady is nevertheless a duchess.

Her New York palace occupied four lots at the corner of Fifth Avenue and Fifty-seventh Street, where even gravel is about as valuable as gold dust. When she finally took up her abode in Paris she offered the remainder for a hundred thousand dollars. It was sold to his sister, the wife of the present Secretary of the Navy. And it is said that on the birth of Mrs. Whitney's first child, he presented to the child to be held in trust for the young man, the sum of one million dollars. Secretary Whitney's palatial home in New York is said to be furnished in princely style.

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1st	$250	The next 20	$10 each
2nd	100	The next 40	5 each
3rd	50	The next 115	2 each
4th	30	The next 820	1 each
5th	20		

After 50 thousand letters have been received, the senders of the next eleven hundred letters will receive gifts as follows:

1st	$225	The next 10	$15 each
2nd	125	The next 15	10 each
3rd	75	The next 40	5 each
4th	50	The next 470	2 each
5th	25	The next 500	1 each

After 60 thousand letters have been received, the senders of the next one thousand letters will receive gifts as follows:

1 and 2	$100 each	The next 5	$20 each
3, 4 and 5	75 each	The next 15	10 each
6, 7 and 8	50 each	The next 301	3 each
9, 10, 11 and 12	25 each	The next 663	1 each

After 150 thousand letters have been received, the senders of the next eleven hundred and nine letters will receive gifts as follows:

1	$100 each	The next 10	$20 each
2	75 each	The next 25	10 each
3 and 4	50 each	The next 585	2 each
The next 5	25 each	The next 479	1 each

Any person may send any number of times for any of above collections. If 5 cents in stamps extra is sent, we will send in December next a printed list of the names of all persons who are entitled to gifts. We make this liberal offer to the readers of THE COLONIST, knowing it will not pay us now, but our object is to introduce our stock and build up a trade. Our mailing points are Toronto and Shrub Mount, Ontario; Rochester, N.Y.; Louisville, Ky.; Painesville, O.; and Chicago, Ill.; and we will guarantee all stock to reach our customers in good condition. We employ no agents but deal direct with customers, and can sell and deliver stock to any part of the United States or Canada, at about one-half the price charged by other nurserymen through agents.

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NOTICES.

NOTICE.

Two Hundred and Fifty Dollars Reward.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a reward of $250 will be paid by the Provincial Government for such information as shall lead to the apprehension and conviction of the persons guilty of setting fire to the barn of Mr. John Russell, of Strawberry Vale Farm, on the night of the 2nd instant.

JNO. ROBSON, Provincial Secretary.

Provincial Secretary's Office, Victoria, 6th Sept., 1888. sep7-1m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that all persons claiming to be creditors of the estate of GEORGE HERBERT RASHDALE and GEORGE RICHARD LAWES (trading as the Columbia Milling Company) are required to send full particulars of their claims to Messrs. Eberts & Taylor, Solicitors, Langley street, Victoria, B. C., on or before Wednesday the 21th day of October, 1888, when the trustees will proceed to distribute the moneys in their hands ratably among those creditors only who then may have proved their claims. Dated the 21st day of September, 1888.

JOHN NICHOLLES, ALFRED CORNELIUS PLUMERFELT, Trustees of the Assignment for the benefit of Creditors, Victoria, B. C. sep22-1m

NOTICE is hereby given, that I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the undermentioned lands in the Coast District, and described as follows:—Commencing at the south west corner of Lot 3, Range 5, Coast District, and running thence due south a distance of 40 chains; thence due west a distance of fifty-two chains and thirty-six links (52.36 chains), more or less, to the shore line; thence following the shore to a point due west of the south-west corner of Section 3; and thence due east to the point of commencement, and containing about 160 acres.

R. H. HALL, Victoria, B.C., Sept. 20th, 1888. se21

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT, 60 days after date, I intend to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 160 acres of land situate on south bank of Skeena River, to the southward of Point Lambert and opposite the entrance of passage to Inverness, commencing at a post bearing notice marked B. Y. S. W.; thence east 40 chains; thence north 40 chains; thence west 40 chains to post marked B.Y.N.W.; thence southerly following line of shore to place of beginning.

Port Essington, B. YOUNG. August 15, 1888. aug28

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT, 60 days after date, I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 160 Acres of Land, situated on the south-east end of Smith Island, entrance to Skeena River, commencing at a post (bearing notice) marked C H—S E; thence west 40 chains; thence southerly following shore of Island to point of commencement.

Port Essington, GUST. HOLMES. Aug. 10th, 1888. aug19

NOTICE.—I HAVE PURCHASED THE Scavenger business lately carried on by Smilow and Dougherty. All orders may be left at J. C. Devlin's, Yates street; J. Finlayson's, Government street; or at G. Doughty's, Fort st. All orders promptly executed at the lowest possible price. aug24-tf J. DOUGHERTY.

NOTICE.

ANY PARTIES WHO CAN FURNISH any information regarding the death of Michael Seffron, who was drowned in a tributary of the Yukon River some time since, will confer a favor on the afflicted relatives by communicating the same to JOS. R. LYONS, Lyons' Hotel, Kentville, King's Co., N. S. sep5-dw

Dissolution of Co-Partnership.

THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE EXISTING between W. H. ELLIS, A. G. SARGISON and W. R. HIGGINS, in the publication of THE COLONIST Newspaper and the transaction of a general Printing and Lithographing business, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent, by the withdrawal of W. R. HIGGINS. The business will in future be conducted by W. H. ELLIS and A. G. SARGISON, under the firm name of ELLIS & CO., by whom all liabilities will be discharged, and to whom all accounts due the late firm must be paid.

W. H. ELLIS, A. G. SARGISON, W. R. HIGGINS. Signed in the presence of GEO. DENNY. Victoria, Sept. 17th, 1888. sep19

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC.

I have this day disposed of the stock and goodwill of my business to Henry Waller, and take this opportunity of thanking the public for their kind patronage and trust they will extend the same to my successor. ARTHUR HOLMES.

All persons indebted to the above are requested to pay the amount of their indebtedness at the store, and all persons having claims against him must send them in.

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MUNICIPAL.

No. 164.

A BY-LAW,

To give effect to the Statute changing the title of the Councillors to that of "Aldermen."

WHEREAS, BY THE ACT OF 51 VICTORIA, Chap. 21, entitled "An Act to amend the Municipalities' Act, 1881, and amending Act," section 1, it is enacted as follows:—

1. On and after the passage of this Act, the Councillors of the Cities of Victoria, New Westminster and Nanaimo shall be styled Aldermen, and the Municipality Act, 1881, and Acts amending the same, are hereby amended by substituting the word "Alderman" in lieu of the word "Councillor," wherever the same is used in the said Acts in connection with the said cities.

BE IT THEREFORE ENACTED by the Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria, as follows:

1. The "Council By-Law," and all other now existing By-Laws, containing any reference to the Councillors of the City of Victoria, are hereby amended by substituting the word "Alderman" in lieu of the word "Councillor," and the word "Aldermen" in lieu of the word "Councillors," wherever the same are used in any of such By-Laws in connection with the said Councillors.

Passed the Municipal Council the 29th day of August, A. D. 1888.

Re-considered and finally passed the Council this 12th day of September, A. D. 1888.

JOHN GRANT, Mayor.

[L. S.]

JAMES D. ROBINSON, C. M. C. sep14

No. 165.

A BY-LAW,

To Amend the "Revenue Amendment By-Law, 1886."

BE IT ENACTED BY THE MAYOR AND Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria, as follows:

1. The third section of the Revenue Amendment By-Law, 1886, (No. 136) is hereby amended by striking out the figures "38, 15," in the fourth line thereof and substituting the figures and words "240, 315." (Two hundred and forty-eight parts of three hundred and fifteen parts) therefor.

2. This By-Law may be cited as the Revenue Amendment By-Law, 1888.

Passed the Municipal Council the 29th day of August, A. D. 1888.

Re-considered and finally passed the Council this 12th day of September, A. D. 1888.

JOHN GRANT, Mayor.

[L. S.]

JAMES D. ROBINSON, C. M. C. sep14

No. 166.

A BY-LAW,

To provide for the payment of the expenses of the Re-Audit of the Books and Accounts of the Corporation of Victoria, for the period from 1st January, 1881 to 31st December, 1887.

WHEREAS THE BOOKS AND ACCOUNTS of the Corporation have been duly re-audited for the period from 1st January, 1881, to the 31st December, 1887, by J. C. Bales and G. A. Sargison, the two Auditors appointed for that purpose by a resolution of the Council, assisted by two assistants.

BE IT THEREFORE ENACTED, by the Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria, as follows:

1. Each of them, the said J. C. Bales and G. A. Sargison, shall be paid for making such audit at the rate of $1.50 for every entire hour during which he was personally actually engaged in such audit; and shall also be paid in respect of the assistant employed by him the sum of $1.00 for every entire hour during which such assistant was personally actually engaged in assisting in such Audit.

This By-Law may be cited as the "Audit By-Law, 1888."

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The Perry Creek Gold Mining Company, (LIMITED LIABILITY.) September Assessment, Due Oct. 29, 1888.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that at a meeting of the Trustees of said Company, held on the 29th September, 1888, an assessment of Five (5) cents per share was levied upon the capital stock of said company, payable on or before the 29th October, 1888, to the Secretary of the company at the company's office, Victoria, B. C. Any stock upon which said assessments shall remain unpaid on the 31st October, 1888, shall be deemed delinquent and will be duly advertised for sale at Public Auction, and unless payment shall be made before will be sold on the 9th November, 1888, to pay the delinquent assessment, together with costs of advertising and expenses of the sale. HENRY JACOBY, The Company's Office, Government St., Victoria, Secretary. jl18-5t-1w

British Columbia Agricultural Society's Exhibition.

Arrangements have been made with: The Canadian Pacific Railway Company; The Canadian Pacific Navigation Co.; The Esquimalt and Nanaimo Railway Co.; The Oregon Railway & Navigation Co.; and The People's Navigation Co. To convey passengers, as well as freight intended for exhibition, to and from Victoria at half rates. These special rates will continue from Wednesday morning, 3rd, to Sunday, 7th. Tickets may be had at the Offices, or of the Agents of the respective Companies. THOS. RUSSELL, sep27 Sec. B. C. A. Soc'y.

RAILWAYS.

Esquimalt and Nanaimo R'y

TIME TABLE No. 8.

To take effect at 8.20 a.m. on Monday, October 1st, 1888. Trains run on Pacific Standard Time.

GOING SOUTH. READ UP.	No. 1 Passenger Daily.	STATIONS.	No. 3 Passenger Sat., Sun. and Mon.
	Ar 1.00 p.m	VICTORIA	Ar 5.40
	1.05	SWITCH	5.36
	1.10	ESQUIMALT	5.30
	1.15	GOLDSTREAM	5.25
	1.22	SHAWNIGAN	5.16
	1.27	COBBLE HILL	5.11
	1.35	McPHERSON'S	5.03
	1.42	KOKSILAH	4.56
	1.47	DUNCANS	4.51
	2.00	CHEMAINUS	4.38
	Ar 2.20 p.m	NANAIMO	Lv 4.20 p.m
	Lv 2.40 p.m	NANAIMO	De 9.00 a.m
	2.45	WELLINGTON	De 8.50 a.m

GOING NORTH. READ DOWN.	No. 2 Passenger Daily.	STATIONS.	No. 4 Passenger Sat., Sun. and Mon.
	De 8.20 a.m	NANAIMO	De 2.12 p.m
	8.24	WELLINGTON	2.16
	8.31	CHEMAINUS	2.23
	9.01	DUNCANS	2.51
	9.12	KOKSILAH	3.02
	10.08	McPHERSON'S	3.56
	10.37	COBBLE HILL	4.11
	10.42	SHAWNIGAN	4.

The Colonist.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 6, 1888.

PASSENGERS.

Per Steamer YOSEMITE, from Vancouver—W Taylor, W H Brown, Mrs Carmichael, H Carmichael, G C Shaw, H F Clinton, F E Davis, J R Andrews, M M Picken, Mrs Picken, P Peters sr, P Peters jr, F J Proten, J Illand, Capt H Lewis, Mrs Kemp, R G Gray, Mrs Bamford, Walt Taylor, J McDougall, E R McLean, A J Marks, Capt Van Bramer, F McFarlane, F Grier, Mrs R B Hemlow, Str St Ann, T Kirkby, J Newby, F C Gamble, M H Cowan, Mrs Roberts, T C Atkinson, W Green, Walter Green, Paul Murray, Geo A Keeler, R H Alexander, Mrs J W Sexsmith, T Doig, H Carter, W Stern, S Wild, R Collister, Capt A Insley, C Malette.

Per Str. R. P. RITHET from Westminster.—Mr and Mrs Rand, Miss DeBeck, Miss Kelly, Mrs French, Mrs Williams, Miss Williams, Mrs T Cunningham, Mrs J Cunningham, Mrs Scoullar, Mrs Tait, Mrs Smith, Mr and Mrs Trapp, Miss Deckerel, Miss Newbery, Miss Cordpee, Mrs Rae, Mrs Robson, Mr and Mrs Loudon, Mrs Fenzer, Mr Nathan, Mr. Marhan, J Merryfield, J Cowling, D Rabett, C McDonald, R Cluoy, C Manson, J M Cowper, Geo Pyke, Percherecck, J R Southerby, P J Breen, J M Steves, T F Robson, D Robson, R L Caston, Dr Brown, M Sinclair, Mrs King.

Per Steamer T. J. POTTER, from Puget Sound. C Gustafsen, J Shepard, B Franks, Miss Spaney, J Miller, J Anderson, H McDonald, C Gunyon, D E Thedband, L K Lane, J R Howes and wife, P S Matheson, F A Dudley, F Stevens, J W Spawforth, Mrs Hart, F Ward, D J McKay, W Gardner, J C Dodd, Mrs Dodd, T Gowan, Mrs Harty, C G McCord, C J Robinson, C Ersenbeis, Mrs Ersenbeis, L A Baker, J McCone, A W Bash, C W Howard and wife, R Brehmer, J L Smith, Miss Wright, H Campbell, J R Hannilton, W E Hiatt, J Hughes, F F Dillon, F Faxon, J Lang.

CONSIGNEES.

Per Steamer YOSEMITE from Vancouver.—M W Waitt, Marvin and T, C Strouss, A B Gray, A B Erskine, Blanchard and Co, C R McD and Co, C R King' E B Carmichael, Ellis and Co, G McConnan, H Bay Co, Hy Saunders, Hastie and L, J Sehl, Langley and Co, Lenz & Leiser, M R and Pye, Mrs Vigor, R Hartman, S J Pitts, Shore and Anderson, Stemler and Earle, S Clay, T Haughton, W Rithet and Co, W H Redmond, W Croft, W G Cameron, Brown and White, H Bornstein, Dom Exp Co.

Per Str. R. P RITHET, from Westminster.—Van Volk Bros, Tai Soong, Lenz and Leiser, W Heathorn, G Carleton, Brown Bros, J Cassidy, McKenzie, T Worrell, H B Co, Lowen and Erb, W H Adams, W H Ladner, A J Alcock, M A Kutjon, A J Alcock, E Gerard, S Gray, Robson.

Per Steamer T. J. POTTER, from Puget Sound J G Babst, Albion Iron Works, S Leiser, Jay and Co, M W Waitt and Co, Welch, Rithet and Co, J H Place, Heist Bros. Carne and M, A and W Wilson.

A Mystery in Our Midst.

Victoria may not be aware that it has in its midst a most wonderful woman, Mrs. Samson, a business and test medium of wide and enviable reputation, who has been expected here for many months, and reached this city yesterday. All press notices speak most flatteringly of this lady's marvellous gift. They state she has numerous testimonials from men of prominence, which should satisfy the most skeptical that the lady merits personal investigation. Also that Mrs. Samson is not only a medium of remarkable power, but a cultured lady, and is pleasing to meet socially as well as in business relations. Mrs. Samson's reception room is No. 8 Clarence Hotel. Will commence giving sittings on Monday, October 8th. Office hours commencing at 10 a.m. 2t

Obstruction.

Quite an obstruction has been caused of late in front of the dry goods house of Shears & Page, Government street, by the opening of a large quantity of New Fall and Winter Goods, just received by the firm. The goods have now all been marked off and distributed into the various departments, and on inspection will be found to be the most complete stock in the city. *

W. C. T. U. Convention.

The Provincial W. C. T. U. of British Columbia will meet in its fifth annual convention, in this city, October 8th, 9th and 10th. There will be a morning and afternoon session each day, opening at 10 a.m. and 2 p. m. Public meetings will be held each evening, when interesting programmes will be presented. Good music will be furnished by prominent leaders. All sessions are open to the public, and a cordial invitation is extended to all to attend. *

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A new Directory is now being compiled for the Province of British Columbia. It will contain full descriptive and reliable information of the various places, besides an accurate list of the residents, etc., a personal canvass having been made by Thomas Draper. Owing to the large increase in the province, the volume will be at least double the thickness of previous years. Publishing office—R. T. Williams, 28 Broad street, Victoria.

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N. N. Cole & Co.

In order to extend their direct woollen importations and go more exclusively into fine tailoring, N. N. Cole & Co. have moved their merchant tailoring establishment from Brandon to Winnipeg. To give better facilities and quicker despatch the services of two first-class cutters have been secured. One of these gentlemen, Mr. Turner, will be in Victoria about the 10th instant, with an immense range of New Fall Imported Goods. *

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

LOCAL AND PROVINCIAL.

C. E. T. S.

On Monday evening next, Ven, Archdeacon Scriven will deliver a lecture in the Cathedral school-room at 8 o'clock. Refreshments will be served.

Fischer Pianos.

A splendid Square Fischer Piano was shipped yesterday to a party in Westminster by Messrs. W. M. Waitt & Co., the agents for these renowned instruments.

Police Notes.

The charge against Daniel McLean has been settled out of court. The charge against Edward Masdon has been further remanded for the production of necessary witnesses.

Speedy Trials Act.

The prisoner Stewart, charged with wounding and attempted robbery, has consented to be tried for his offence under the Speedy Trials Act, and the Chief Justice has appointed Thursday next for the hearing of the case.

The Umatilla's Passengers.

The following passengers are aboard the steamship Umatilla for Victoria: A. D. Watson, W. D. Morroman, W. H. Ellsworth. H. P. Mellish, Thos. J. Perryman, M. Hicks, M. Copeland and wife, J. R. Regan and Mrs. W. Madden.

The Late Theodore Hedlund.

A telegram was received from Oakland, Cal., yesterday directing that the remains of the deceased Theodore Hedlund, late mate of the Alden Besse, be sent to that city for interment, and in accordance with the request the body will be forwarded to its destination per steamship Mexico today.

A Generous Donor.

Supt. Roycraft, with his usual liberality, has turned over to the provincial museum quite a number of valuable specimens from his interesting collection of Indian curios, among which are seal spears of the west coast Indians, stone implements from the Skeena and Naas, relics from graves of the Thompson Indians, and a large quantity of the once highly prized money shells.

Royal Hospital.

The monthly meeting of the board of directors of the above institution was held yesterday afternoon. After the usual routine business had been transacted the board proceeded to elect a president in place of the late lamented Alex. McLean, Esq., and Mr. Joshua Davies was unanimously elected to fill the position. Mr. Davies' election is in every way a most suitable one, and is a fitting return for his six years service on the directorate.

The Late Suicide.

It is rumored that the man who is supposed to have committed suicide on Wednesday evening by jumping off the steamer Yosemite when the vessel was passing Ten-Mile Point, was a fugitive from justice, who having provided himself with a life preserver, took the means of throwing the authorities off his track by jumping overboard and swimming ashore. A slight color of truth is given this theory by the belief that the Vancouver chief of police has received instructions to look out for a man answering Moore's description. Should this theory prove correct, it seems strange, however, that the man should have left his clothes and money on the steamer before leaping into the water.

The China Steamer.

The steamship Batavia was expected to sail from Vancouver for the Orient last evening. She has on board about nfty passengers, 6,000 sacks of flour, a quantity of miscellaneous merchandise and 100 tons of coal. A material change has been made in her officers as follows: Captain Watton's position will be filled by Captain Auld, of the Danube; Chief Mate Sommerville has resigned and will be succeeded by Second Mate Cameron, whose position in turn will be filled by the first mate of the Danube. Dr. McGuigan has resigned the position of ship's physician, as has also Purser R. J. Macdonald. Mr. Macdonald will be succeeded by Mr. Elliott Bell, who only arrived from Glasgow to join the ship on Wednesday afternoon.

A Pleasant Outing.

In returning thanks for the compliment of a vocal serenade tendered THE COLONIST by a portion of Her Majesty's Navy stationed at Esquimault, in yesterday's issue, we unintentionally erred in saying the musical blue jackets were a portion of the ship's company from the Caroline. The wagonette party composed the jolly starboard watch of the good ship Espeigle, and Wednesday was a day of celebration with them. Leaving the Globe Hotel, Esquimault, the party drove to Goldstream, where a first-class dinner was served out of the lunch baskets filled before starting. Returning in the evening, they dined at the Globe, the capital dinner served being an appropriate climax to the fun of the day. The boys had been a long time on the water and enjoyed their celebration hugely.

From Naas and Skeena Rivers.

The steamer Barbara Boscowitz arrived from Naas and Skeena Rivers yesterday morning, bringing the following passengers: Miss Hunt, S. A. Spencer, Alert Bay; Rev. Mr. Stephenson, Metlakahtla; Messrs. Davidson, Stapleton, and Stewart, Inverness; Mottke and Cameron, Queen Charlotte Island. The freight consisted of 230 bbls. of salmon from the H. B. Co.'s salting establishment on Naas river; 2,800 cases salmon from McLellan's cannery for R. Ward & Co; 1,900 cases salmon from Spencer's cannery, Alert Bay, consigned to Thos. Earle, and 1,900 cases salmon from the Inverness cannery for J. H. Turner & Co.

The Boscowitz, brings no news of especial interest. The weather during the trip has been excessively rough. She called in at Fort Simpson, and reports that the northwest canneries are shut down with the exception of a shipment to be made on the Boscowitz on her return trip.

Inspection of the Volunteers.

Major-General Sir Frederick Middleton inspected the local volunteers at the drill shed last evening. The commander-in-chief was accompanied by Lieut.-Colonel Holms, acting D. A. G., Capt. Wise, A.D.C., and Capt. Benson of "C" Battery. On his arrival the inspecting officer was received by the usual salute; after which Lieut.-Colonel Prior put the men through the manual and firing exercise. After this No. 2 Battery, Captain P. Æ. Irving, was brought to the front, and at his command the men went through company drill in such a manner as to elicit favorable comments from the inspecting officer. The captain of No. 3 being on the sick list, his battery was passed over and No. 4, Capt. Smallfield, was put through company drill, which was also very well done. Subsequently the Victoria Rifle Company, Capt. Wollacott, was similarly inspected. At the close Major-General Middleton addressed the respective commanders of the Artillery and Rifles, and expressed himself as satisfied with what he had seen, and also the hope that next time he inspected the corps he would find them in a proper drill shed, the present quarters rendering battalion movements out of the question. He also complimented the men on their neat and steady appearance. After the parade had been dismissed, those of the officers who had not already met General Middleton were presented to him.

THE FOSTER MINE.

A Mistake In Sending a Chemical Prevented its Working.

The following reference to the famous Foster ledge at Big Slide, south-east of Clinton, has been forwarded to us by a competent authority. The mistake in sending sulphate of copper instead of sulphate of iron, as the writer remarks, would have had the result stated. Perhaps under practical and experienced direction this property may yet turn out bullion far in excess of the cost of extracting it from the ore. Our correspondent states:

This locality has been visited by a competent chemist well versed in mining. He tested the rock for copper, which has been reported to be carried in the ledge, and obstructed the clorinators in taking out the gold. He states the ledge does not carry copper, and what has been mistaken for it is magnetic pyrites, known as pyrrhotite, which in a powdered state can be taken out with a common magnet, and carries a good deal of gold. This statement corresponds with three practical chemists of San Francisco, who tested the rock, and their words were, "It looks as though it carried copper, but does not." To account for the copper found in the bleaching vats is very simple. A solution of sulphate of iron is used after the clorination process to deposit the gold, which it then throws down as a yellowish precipitate, afterwards collected and smelted into ingots.

It would appear that a common sulphate of copper instead of sulphate of iron had been shipped up from San Francisco, and the mistake was never discovered. When sulphate of copper is of inferior grade it resembles iron sulphate in color and crystal. Now the company can learn why the mine is unproductive, and their $75,000 plant lying idle on the mountain side. It is also clear to see that want of knowledge in following the ledge gave rise to the report of no quartz. In the middle tunnel the ledge was first struck at a width of 42 inches. Driving south west ten feet, what is known as a "horse" was struck. This is a piece of rock that has fallen from above and split the ledge. In this instance it was about 30 feet long. The miners followed the quartz outside of the split rock till it ran out. It did not run parallel with the main ledge, but at an obtuse angle.

This same split vein was followed in the lower tunnel also, until it gave out in the same length.

It can be seen by the veriest tyro in mining that the contact wall on the east had never been touched. In fact, the main ledge had not been worked in either of the drives.

Many men have to buy their experience, and in this venture it does seem a little too rough that the accidental introduction of copper in the finishing process should cause so important an enterprise to languish. It is well known that where copper exists in quantity with gold, the gold cannot be extracted by the chlorinating process.

Had the error not occurred, there is no doubt the mill and mine would now be at work, giving employment to a large number of men and great remuneration to the shareholders.

LOCAL BRIEFS.

The Victoria lacrosse team will hold a special meeting in the rooms lately occupied by Pennock & Clayton, Denny's block, Government street, at 1 o'clock sharp to-day.

Twelve hundred dollars' worth of prepared opium were discovered on the steamship Umatilla when she reached San Francisco on Tuesday last. The drug came from Victoria and was confiscated.

Bertie Gilbert, second son of Rev. A. E. Green, of the Naas River Mission, died at Nanaimo yesterday afternoon, aged six years. The family had been on a visit to that city and intended returning north by the Boscowitz, but were detained, owing to the illness of the little lad.

Edward Maston and Edwin Marston are similar names but represent widely different men. The former was "vagged" in the police court the other day. The latter is one of the most popular of hack drivers. There's a good deal in a name, after all, especially when some unworthy individual possesses the same or a like one to yours. It often creates a wrong impression.

A enjoyable concert was given in the Pandora Street Presbyterian church last evening by the members of the Y.P.L.A. A first-class programme was presented and the attendance was all that could be expected, although the attractions elsewhere prevented many who would otherwise have been in attendance from being present.

Rev. M. L. Rugg, pastor of the Calvary Baptist Church, is expected to lecture under the auspices of the Baptist Church here about the middle of October. For several years he has lectured for the State Teachers' Association of Oregon, and also for the Superintendent of Public Instruction, who commends his lectures in the highest terms. The choir of the church are preparing a choice musical programme for the occasion, so that the entertainment shall be one of the most enjoyable of the season.

PERSONAL.

John McDougall, of Vancouver, is at the Clarence.

James and Mrs. Shearer, of Montreal, are at the Driard.

T. C. Atkinson, barrister, of New Westminster, is in town.

Charles Inness, of Inverness, Scotland, was in Victoria yesterday.

William and Mrs. Dunn, of Chicago, are spending a few days in Victoria.

H. P. Bell, chief of the surveying party on the Saanich railroad, is at the Driard.

His Worship the Mayor of Westminster and Mrs. Dickinson were visitors at the exhibition yesterday.

Miss Duncan and Miss Lewis, Canadian press correspondents on their way to Japan in the interest of the journals they represent, are at the Driard.

Col. E. A. Whitehead, formerly of the Victoria Rifles, Dr. Roddick, Deputy Surgeon-General during the Northwest rebellion, Charley Casselo, W. R. and A. P. McInnes, A. A. Adamson, A. W. Walters, W. L. Leonard of Montreal, Miss Duncan and Miss Lewis, special representatives of the Toronto *Week* and the Montreal *Star*, and Charles Dudley Warner, the well-known New York author, comprising an excurs on party bound for Japan, spent yesterday in the city, leaving this morning for Vancouver.

MARINE.

Steamship Mexico sails for San Francisco this afternoon.

Steamship Wellington, coal laden for San Francisco, passed down yesterday afternoon.

Steamer Alexander returned from Cape Flattery yesterday, having towed the bark Alden Besse to sea, coal laden for the Sandwich Islands.

Steamer Nell, Captain Holmes, was met by the Boscowitz at 3 p. m. Thursday a little this side of Cape Mudge. The tug Pilot was also sighted with a ship in tow, the Pacific Slope.

Fruit Jars and Jellies.

Mason's porcelain-lined cap, and Mason's Improved Gem Fruit Jars, in pints, quarts and half gallons, THE MOST RELIABLE FRUIT JARS MADE, at lowest prices, at JOHN WEILER'S, Fort street. *

SPORTS AND PASTIMES.

Professor Foster, of Montreal, one of the best cricketers and light-weight boxers in the Dominion, was registered at the Clarence yesterday. He until lately held the feather-weight championship of the Province of Quebec, and he has been engaged as instructor by the Vancouver Athletic Club.

The following is the team selected to meet the Rovers of Nanaimo at football on Beacon Hill this afternoon, the game to commence at three o'clock sharp:—H. Combe, back; White, Martin, and Ransom, three-quarter backs; Barnet and Grant, half-backs; and Drake, Langley, C. Pemberton, F. Pemberton, Hibben, Pugh, Allison, Clark, and Earsman, forwards.

BASEBALL.

At 10:10 o'clock this morning the James Bay and Maple Leaf clubs met on Beacon Hill to compete for the prize offered by the Agricultural Society.

The James Bay boys played a splendid game to the seventh innings, when errors by Gouge, Deasy, Widdowson, and Sullivan let in the three runs made by the Maple Leafs in the seventh and eighth innings.

The pitching of Jackson was very good, though not having as many struck outs as Pierre; the hits that were made off him were mostly confined to the infield.

Pierre excelled himself in pitching, having struck out six.

The catching of Hanman and Haggart was splendid.

Jackson led in batting, having secured three hits, one of which was a home run.

The following is the score:—

JAMES BAYS.

	TB	R	BH	PO	A	E
Deasy	5	2	0	0	0	1
Gouge	5	2	0	0	0	1
Widdowson	5	2	1	2	2	1
Jackson	5	2	3	5	9	0
Sullivan	5	1	0	1	0	1
Mallandaine	4	0	0	0	1	0
Naylor	4	0	0	8	3	0
Franklyn	5	0	0	0	0	0
Hanman	5	0	0	9	2	1
	42	10	5	27	17	5

First base on errors, 8; struck out, 9; left on bases, 8; two base hits, 1; home runs, 1; passed balls, 2; flies caught, 6; fouls caught, 1.

MAPLE LEAFS.

	TB	R	BH	PO	A	E
Clyde	4	1	1	1	2	2
Beckingham	4	1	1	1	1	1
Dauphine	4	0	0	0	0	2
Haggart	4	1	0	15	2	1
Jackson	4	0	0	0	0	1
Cox	4	0	0	0	0	0
Meldrum	4	0	1	7	0	2
Pierre	4	0	0	0	16	2
Evans	4	0	0	0	0	1
	36	3	2	24	21	11

First base on errors, 3; struck out, 16; left on bases, 2; flies caught, 2; fouls caught, 1; wild pitches, 1.

SCORE BY INNINGS.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
James Bay	0	0	1	2	2	0	0	2		10
Maple Leafs	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	3

Umpires—Burnes and naker.

THE LACROSSE MATCH.

A great deal of interest was manifested in the lacrosse match between the Victoria and Vancouver clubs, especially as the latter had gained some fresh blood, and had come down fully prepared to make a strong fight. Some of the married men of the team claimed it would not be safe for them to go home defeated. At any rate they put a very strong team in the field, there being scarcely a man under 150 pounds among them, while in the Victorias several would fall a couple of stone short of that weight.

The Victorias, on the other hand, were unfortunate. Neither Morrow nor R. Clark could play, the latter owing to having had his foot poisoned by alkali while playing at the Kamloops tournament. Mackenzie, though playing, was not in condition, having been injured while playing football on Saturday last. The Victorias felt that they were to be defeated, and contrasting the two teams on the field before a start was made it looked very much as though they would. However, they went in to do the best they could.

It was decided that two hours' playing should decide the event, and the ball was faced off at 3 o'clock. S. Lowe acted as field captain for the Victorias and W. Taylor for the Vancouvers. W. Matthews was chosen referee; R. Wood umpire for the Victorias and Mr. Foster for the Vancouvers.

The first was an exciting game, lasting forty-five minutes, consisting chiefly of individual play and some severe scrimmages. The attack was chiefly on the Victoria goal, which Cullin admirably defended, making some remarkably fine plays. The field of the Vancouvers was excellent, and the running powers of several of them was specially admired. Once the ball struck the flag of the Victoria goal, but glanced outside. The ball was frequently thrown from one end of the field to the other, and there was almost a total lack of combination play on both sides. The spectators frequently became so excited that they pressed forward on to the field, much to the annoyance of the players. At last there was a good opportunity at the Vancouvers' goal. W. Clark checked the goal-keeper and rendered him useless, and Cox gave the ball a swipe. It struck the goal-keeper on the side and bounded through the flags, scoring first game for the Victorias in 45 minutes. It was a dearly bought victory, for Mackenzie by this time was almost disabled, but pluckily kept at it.

Time being called, the ball was again faced, and a succession of struggles ensued at either goal, with some good play on centre field, Law and Godfrey doing fine work for the Vancouver team. Godfrey, by a slow throw put the ball through, Cullin expecting a fast ball and striking at it too quickly. Time of game, 15 minutes. One of the Vancouver team was compelled through illness to retire at this point, and the elder Tite was told off from the Victoria team to make matters even.

The third game lasted ten minutes and was won by Vancouver, Law putting the ball through. In this game Tite for the Victorias had the ball and was ordered to toss it to Kenning, but failed to act, and a Vancouver man securing it sent it down field where it was sent through by Law. Mackenzie was playing on Law, but was at this critical juncture seized with excruciating pain, and could neither call "time" or prevent his opponent from doing as he pleased. The result was therefore without glory, and had Tite, the younger, acted quicker would have probably been different. Mackenzie had to retire and the elder Tite took his place.

The fourth game was very short decisive, W. Clark putting her through the Vancouver flags in one minute from the start. This made matters even, two to two.

The fifth game was an unfortunate one, Whyte (Victoria), through some accident, sending the ball toward his own flags. Everyone thought the ball passed above the flags, but Umpire Wood decided that it had gone through and everybody had to be content, though there was considerable objection made to the decision.

The sixth game lasted but one minute and was secured by Vancouver, thus giving them the match. The Victoria's goal was in a constant state of defence and the Vancouverites put in some clever work, the finest in the game, playing admirably together and being greatly assisted by their field captain, Taylor, whose heart was in the game.

Although the two hours agreed upon had not expired, it was decided to play no more, and Vancouver was declared winner of the match. The winning club gave three cheers and a tiger for the Victorias, which was heartily returned by the latter. Cheers were given for the referee, and the Vancouvers gave their field captain a well-deserved three and a tiger.

It was generally conceded by the Victorias that the Vancouvers would win, but had it not been for a series of unfortunate circumstances which deprived the home club of several of their best players, victory would again have crowned them. As it is the result for the season is still in favor of Victoria, they having won three out of five games played. They, therefore, are still the champion club, and a couple of games will have yet to be played before the honor can be taken from them.

VICTORIA'S PROGRESS.

E. G. Prior & Co.'s New Business Block—A Substantial Structure, Complete in All Details.

The new business block of Messrs. E. G. Prior & Co., on the north-east corner of Government and Johnson streets, is now completed, and from basement to third storey is occupied with the immense stock of agricultural implements and hardware of all descriptions which the firm keeps on hand. Yesterday afternoon a representative of THE COLONIST visited the building, and through the courtesy of Lieut. Colonel Prior was furnished with the following description of the premises, which is one of the most commodious and substantial structures in the province:—

The offices of the firm on the ground floor first claim attention. These are finished in native woods, stained, and are three in number, the private office of the senior partner, the general office, and the shipping office, all being connected with each other by glass doors, and fitted with electric bells communicating with the first, second and third floors of the building. The remainder of the ground floor is devoted to store purposes, and is handsomely fitted with counters, shelving, etc., for the display of shelf goods and general hardware, of which the firm have a stock on hand of every conceivable variety, the shelving from floor to ceiling being closely packed with hardware systematically arranged. Immediately in rear of the store is the iron department, where on massive racks are stored many tons of heavy iron of all sizes, a large doorway communicating from this department with the street, for the more easy handling of the iron.

The cellar, which is well lighted and ventilated, is 100 feet in length by 55 feet in width, and 14 feet high. Here are stored the heavier class of goods, such as sheet iron, chains, nails, piping, machinery, etc., communication being had with the street by slides, on which the goods can with ease be removed, a large elevator, also, communicating with the various upper floors.

The second and third floors are utilized as showrooms, and each being 100ft. by 45ft., a large space is available for the purpose. Here everydescription of farming wagon, agricultural machinery, and implements are set up, and the sight is one in which any farmer would revel. Agricultural machinery from the simplest to the most costly and complete being on view, the number of ploughs alone being large enough to stock an ordinary sized store, and are of all sizes.

What most strikes the eye of the visitor is the great strength of the building throughout. All the materials used in its construction being of the most massive and substantial character. Stout beams support each floor. The flooring in the cellar is composed of two-inch plank; in the first story the floor is composed of one-inch ship-lap lumber and two-inch tongue and groove, the floors of the second and third stories being of one-inch ship-lap and one-inch tongue and groove. Altogether the firm have 19,000 square feet of floor-room in the building, so that they have all the space they require for the display and storage of their immense stock. Instead of the ordinary signs it is the intention of the firm to have large letters of iron, about two feet long, placed on the top of the building, on the edge of the parapet, standing out in relief against the horizon, which will give a finish to the structure. No expense has been spared to make the building complete in all its details, and Messrs. Prior & Co. may well feel proud of their new block.

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No expense has been spared in securing the very LATEST FASHIONS in PARIS MILLINERY with all the NEWEST MATERIALS for making up the UNTRIMMED HATS and BONNETS. Special care has been taken to secure the NEWEST SHAPES in LADIES' JACKETS, VISITES, PALETOTS, WRAPS and WATER PROOF CLOAKS in all sizes.

AN IMMENSE STOCK OF NEW DRESS GOODS

From GERMANY, FRANCE and ENGLAND, embracing all the LATEST PRODUCTIONS. The various departments now have a complete assortment of NEW GOODS.

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Thursday, September 20th, and following days

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RAILWAY and STEAMER WRAPS and RUGS in great Variety.

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Estate of Thomas Elwyn, deceased

ALL PARTIES HAVING CLAIMS against the estate of the late Thomas Elwyn are requested to send particulars (properly certified) to the executors; and all persons indebted to the estate will please pay the amounts due forthwith.

EDWIN JOHNSON, HAMILTON MOFFATT, } Executors.

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